



1999 ASSEMBLY BILL 890

March 20, 2000 – Introduced by Representative SERATTI. Referred to Committee on Assembly Organization.

1 **AN ACT to repeal** 16.54 (11m); **to amend** 20.370 (5) (bx); and **to create** 59.25 (3)
2 (rm) of the statutes; **relating to:** distribution of national forest income
3 payments from the federal government and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, all money received by the state from receipts on national forest lands must be distributed to school districts in accordance with the number of acres of national forest land located within the school district boundaries. This requirement was imposed by 1999 Wisconsin Act 9 (the biennial budget bill). Before the enactment of 1999 Wisconsin Act 9, all money received by the state from receipts on national forest lands was required to be distributed to towns in accordance with the number of acres of national forest land located within the town boundaries. Any town that received any of these moneys was required to expend at least 50% of the moneys on public roads in the town. This bill restores the law to the way it was before the enactment of 1999 Wisconsin Act 9.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 16.54 (11m) of the statutes, as created by 1999 Wisconsin Act 9, is
5 repealed.

